GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
STEEL
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2893
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CONTRACTUAL WORKERS IN HSCL, BSL AND SAIL
BASUDEB ACHARIA

Will the Minister of STEEL be pleased to state:

(a) whether contractual workers working in the store department of HSCL, BSL and SAIL were removed after years of regular service and replaced by the departmental workers;

(b) if so, the facts and details thereof;

(c) whether the State Labour Department held such substitution contrary to law;

(d) if so, the details thereof;

(e) whether in 2003 a new set of contractual workers were allowed to work at the same place without allowing the retrenched contractual workers;

(f) if so, the facts and details thereof;

(g) whether such act is in violation of labour laws;

(h) whether the old retrenched workers repeatedly represented against their replacement by the new workers; and

(i) if so, the details thereof and the remedial steps taken in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF STEEL (SHRI BRAJA KISHORE TRIPATHY)

(a) to (i): The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the Lok Sabha.